Going from Text to Knowledge Graphs:
Putting Natural Language Processing and Graph Databases to Work

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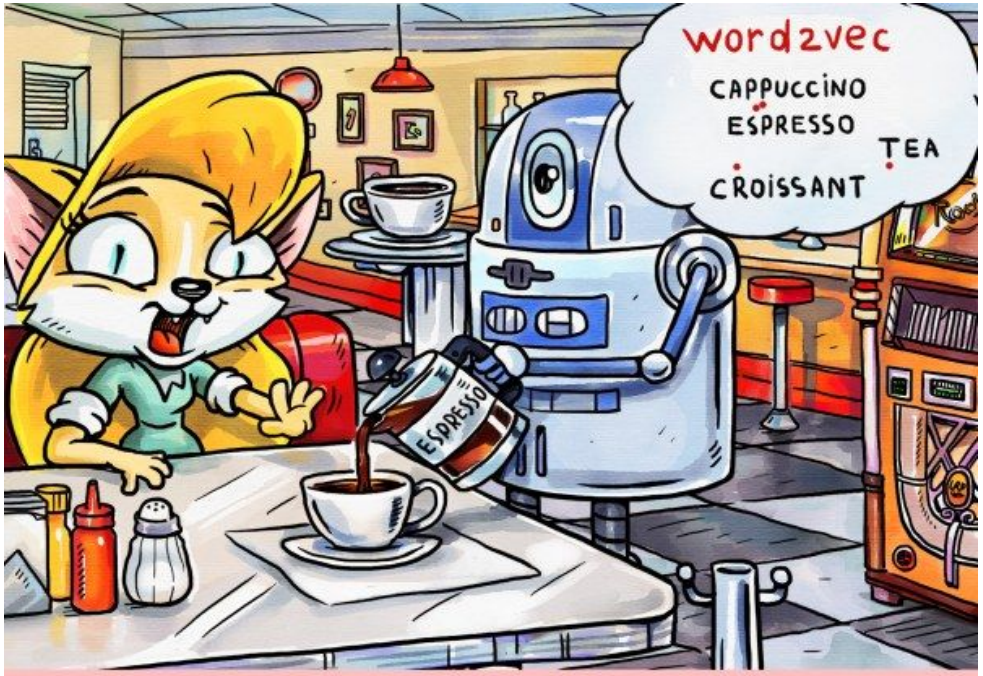

- Espresso? But I ordered a cappuccino!
- Don't worry, the cosine distance between them is so small that they are almost the same thing.

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Outline

- Introduction to knowledge graphs
- Introduction to NLP (as applied to knowledge graphs)
- How to use NLP to create a knowledge graph
- Software setup
- DEMO

All materials (including the slides!) for this workshop are available on the workshop GitHub repo:

https://github.com/cj2001/odsc_east_kg_2021

Speaking of which, let's get ready!

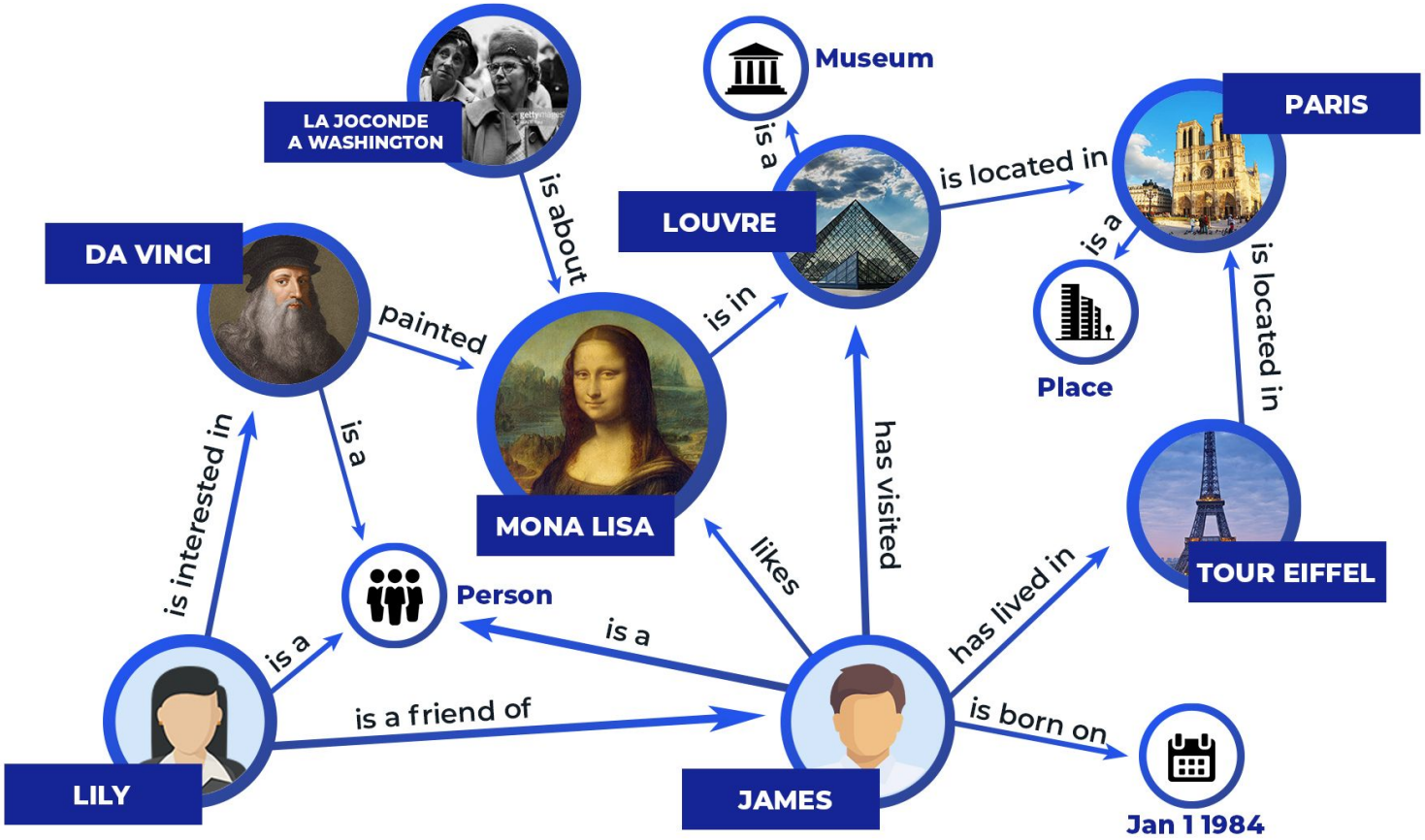
git clone https://github.com/cj2001/odsc_east_kg_2021

docker-compose build

Two Key Concepts

1. There is no proverbial “silver bullet” with NLP

2. The quality of what you get out of a knowledge graph depends on the quality of what you put into it

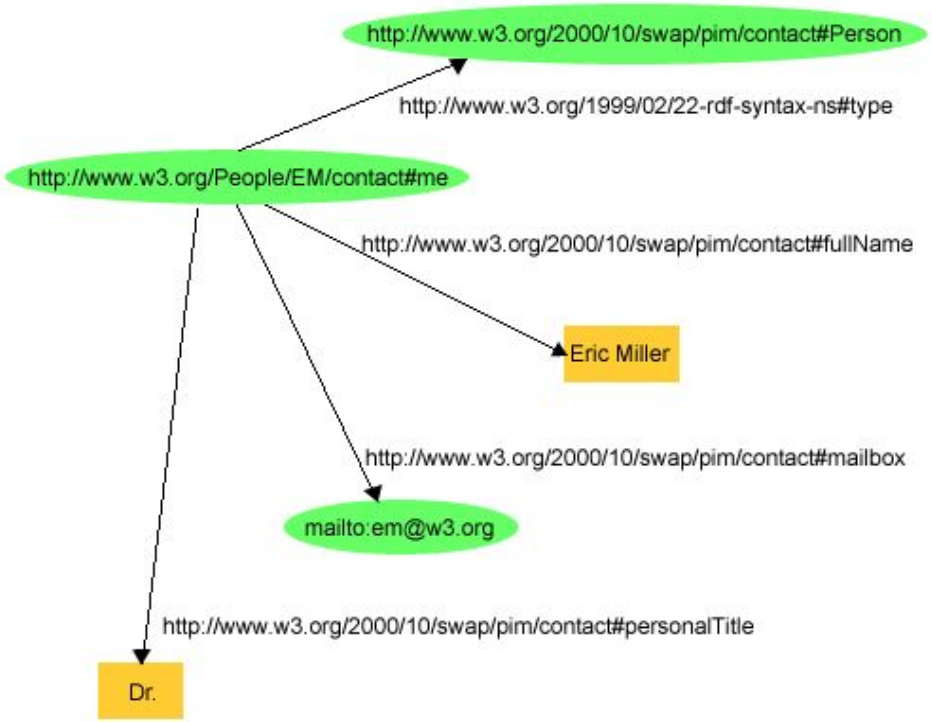


https://yashuseth.blog/2019/10/08/introduction-question-answering-knowledge-graphs-kgqa/

Introduction to knowledge graphs

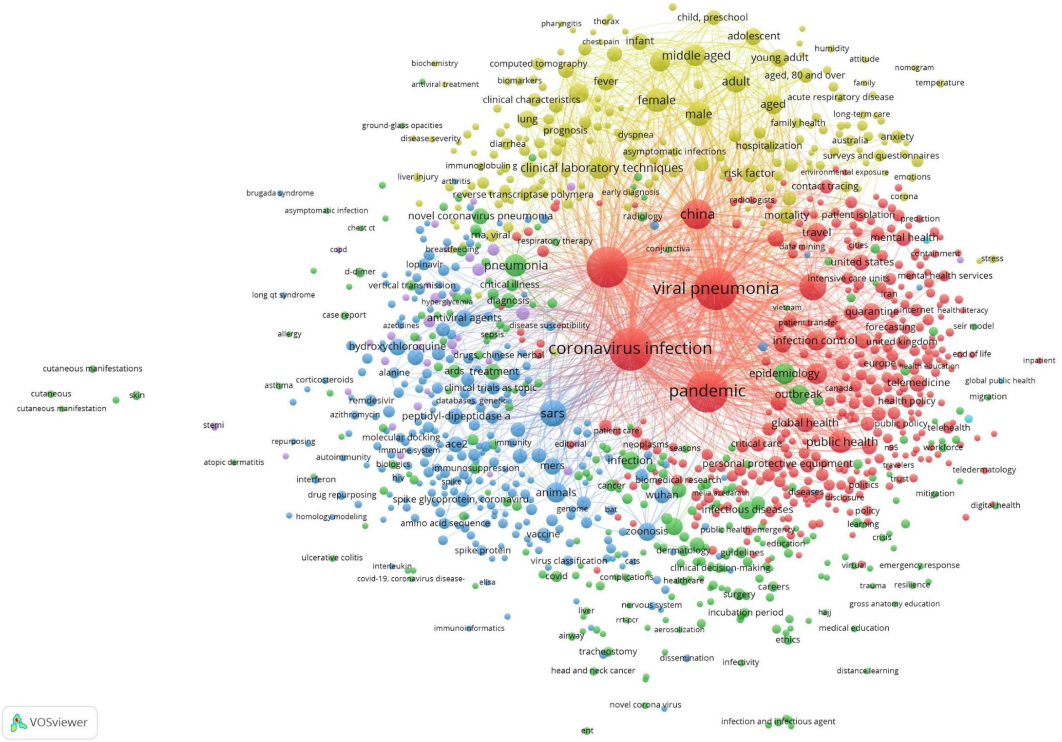
- “Things not strings”
- What knowledge graphs are useful for
  - Search
  - Question answering
  - Recommendation engine
- Can be generated a lot of different ways
  - Resource Description Framework (RDF)
  - Co-occurrence
  - Subject-Verb-Object (SVO)

RDF triples



https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Resource_Description_Framework#Examples

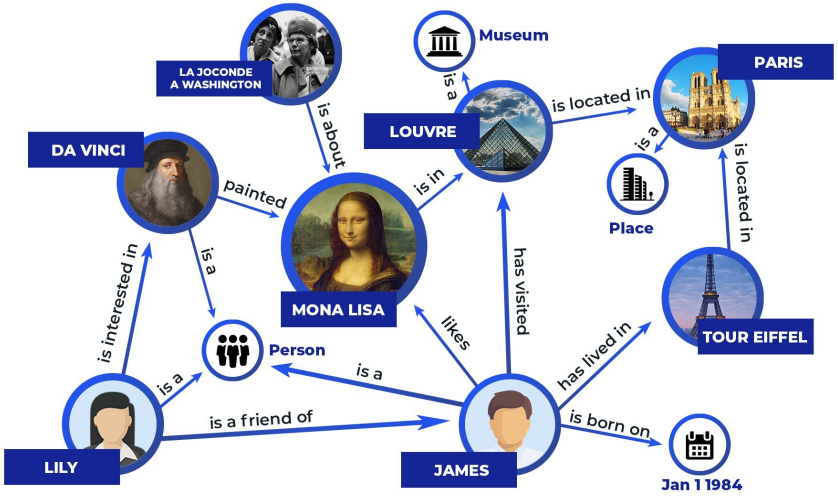
Word co-occurrence



https://covid19biblio.com/2020/04/28/keyword-co-occurrence-network-graph-for-the-overall-research-field-on-covid-19-up-to-april-27th-2020/

SVO triples


Subject
:VERB
Object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NLP considerations for knowledge graph creation

- Named Entity Recognition (NER)
- SVO / SPO triples
  - …but verbs can be difficult, as you will see!
- Very language dependent
- Very topic-area dependent

Barack Hussein Obama II PERSON ((listen) bə-RAHK hoo-SAYN oh-BAH-mə; born August 4, 1961 DATE) is an American NORP politician and attorney who served as the 44th ORDINAL president of the United States GPE from 2009 DATE to 2017 DATE . A member of the Democratic Party ORG , Obama PERSON was the first ORDINAL African-American NORP president of the United States GPE . He previously served as a U.S. GPE senator from Illinois GPE from 2005 to 2008 and as an Illinois GPE state senator from 1997 DATE to 2004.

Obama PERSON was born in Honolulu GPE , Hawaii GPE . After graduating from Columbia University ORG in 1983 DATE , he worked as a community organizer in Chicago GPE . In 1988 DATE , he enrolled in Harvard Law School ORG , where he was the first ORDINAL black person to be president of the Harvard Law Review ORG . After graduating, he became a civil rights attorney and an academic, teaching constitutional law at the University of Chicago Law School ORG from 1992 DATE to 2004. Turning to elective politics, he represented the 13th ORDINAL district from 1997 DATE until 2004 DATE in the Illinois Senate, when he ran for the U.S. Senate ORG . Obama PERSON received national attention in 2004 DATE with his March Senate ORG primary win, his well-received July DATE Democratic National Convention keynote address, and his landslide November DATE election to the Senate ORG . In 2008 DATE , he was nominated by the Democratic Party ORG for president a year DATE after beginning his campaign, and after a close primary campaign against Hillary Clinton PERSON . Obama PERSON was elected over Republican NORP Senator John McCain PERSON in the general election and was inaugurated alongside his running mate, Joe Biden PERSON , on January 20, 2009 DATE . Nine months later DATE , he was named the 2009 DATE Nobel Peace Prize WORK_OF_ART laureate.

Obama PERSON signed many landmark bills into law during his first two years DATE in office. The main reforms that were passed include the Affordable Care Act LAW (commonly referred to as ACA ORG or " Obamacare WORK_OF_ART "), although without a public health insurance option, the Dodd–Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act, and the Don't Ask, Don't Tell Repeal Act of 2010 DATE . The American Recovery and Reinvestment Act ORG of 2009 DATE and Tax Relief, Unemployment Insurance Reauthorization, and Job Creation Act of 2010 DATE served as economic stimuli amidst the Great Recession EVENT . After a lengthy debate over the national debt limit, he signed the Budget Control ORG and the American Taxpayer Relief Acts ORG . In foreign policy, he increased U.S. GPE troop levels in Afghanistan GPE , reduced nuclear weapons with the United States– GPE Russia New START treaty, and ended military involvement in the Iraq War EVENT . He ordered military involvement in Libya GPE for the implementation of the UN Security Council ORG Resolution 1973 DATE , contributing to the overthrow of Muammar Gaddafi PERSON . He also ordered the military operations that resulted in the deaths of Osama bin Laden PERSON and suspected American NORP Al-Qaeda ORG operative Anwar al-Awlaki PERSON .

After winning re-election by defeating Republican NORP opponent Mitt Romney PERSON , Obama PERSON was sworn in for a second ORDINAL term in 2013 DATE . During this term, he promoted inclusion for LGBT Americans NORP . His administration filed briefs that urged the Supreme Court ORG to strike down same-sex marriage bans as unconstitutional (United States GPE v. Windsor PERSON and Obergefell ORG v. Hodges PERSON); same-sex marriage was legalized nationwide in 2015 DATE after the Court ORG ruled so in Obergefell ORG . He advocated for gun control in response to the Sandy Hook Elementary School ORG shooting, indicating support for a ban on assault weapons, and issued wide-ranging executive actions concerning global warming and immigration. In foreign policy, he ordered military intervention in Iraq GPE in response to gains made by ISIL ORG after the 2011 DATE withdrawal from Iraq GPE , continued the process of ending U.S. GPE combat operations in Afghanistan GPE in 2016 DATE , promoted discussions that led to the 2015 DATE Paris Agreement EVENT on global climate change, initiated sanctions against Russia GPE following the invasion in Ukraine GPE and again after interference in the 2016 DATE U.S. GPE elections, brokered the JCPOA ORG nuclear deal with Iran GPE , and normalized U.S. GPE relations with Cuba GPE . Obama PERSON nominated three CARDINAL justices to the Supreme Court ORG : Sonia Sotomayor PERSON and Elena Kagan PERSON were confirmed as justices, while Merrick Garland PERSON faced partisan obstruction from the Republican NORP -led Senate ORG led by Mitch McConnell PERSON , which never held hearings or a vote on the nomination. Obama PERSON left office in January 2017 DATE and continues to reside in Washington GPE , D.C.During Obama's PERSON term in office, the United States' GPE reputation abroad, as well as the American NORP economy, significantly improved. Obama PERSON 's presidency has generally been regarded favorably, and evaluations of his presidency among historians, political scientists, and the general public frequently place him among the upper tier of American NORP presidents.

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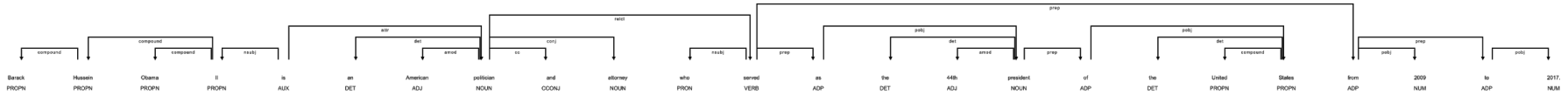

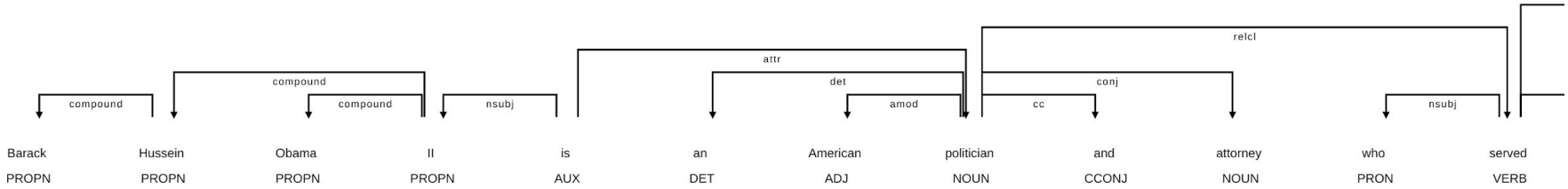

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An introduction to the tools we will use today

- spacy
- Wikipedia Python package
- Google Knowledge Graph
- Neo4j
  - Awesome Procedures on Cypher (APOC)
  - Graph Data Science (GDS) Library
  - Cypher
    - No Cypher knowledge is assumed!

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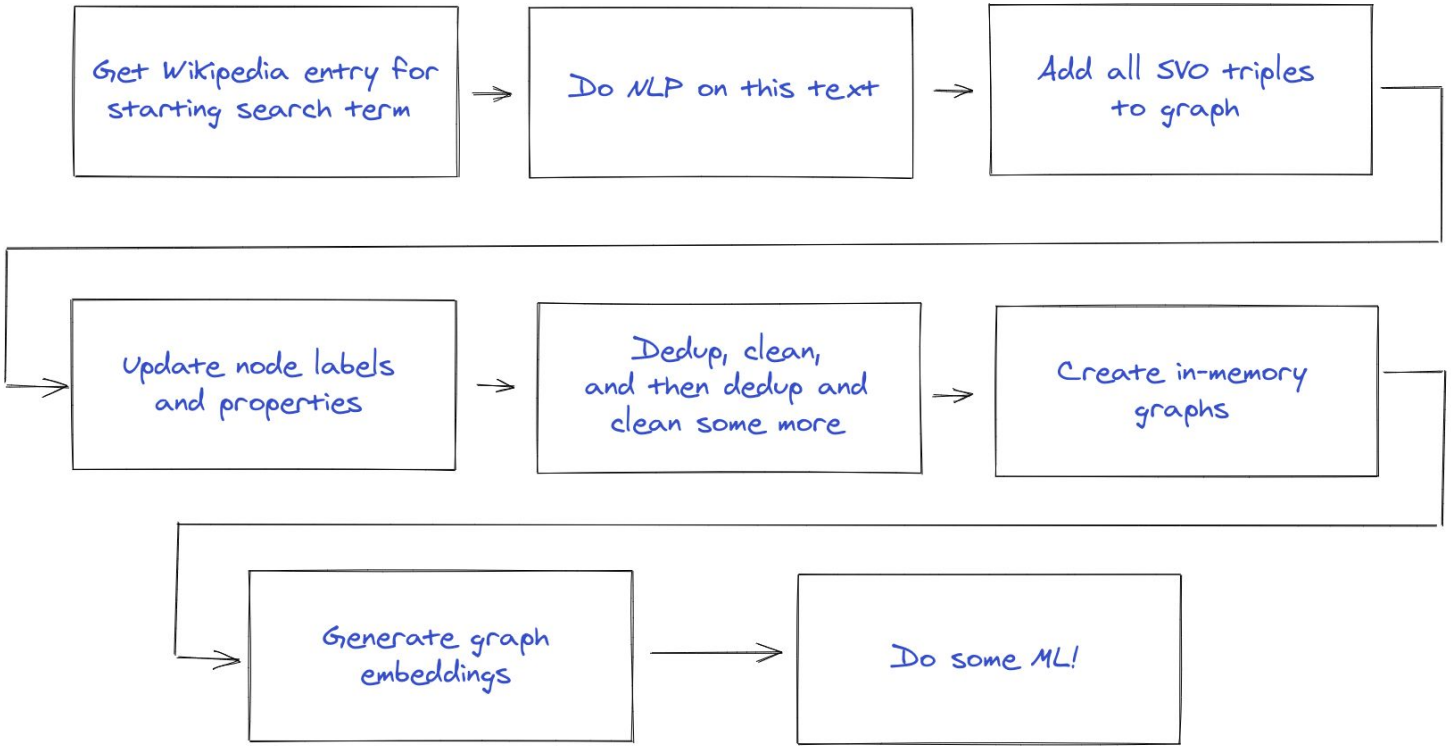
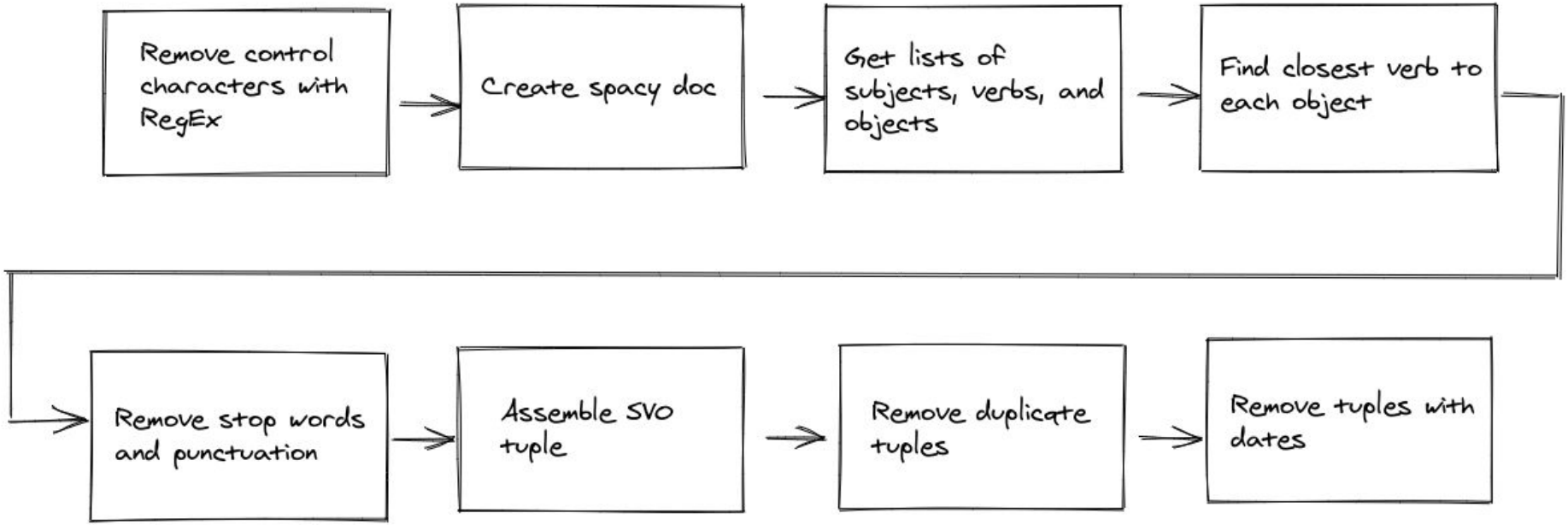
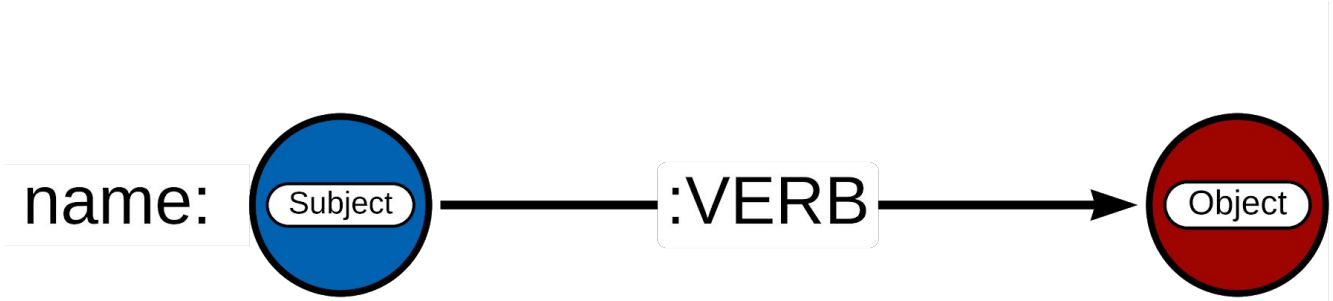
Overview of workflow



NLP workflow



Detailed knowledge graph data model



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Software setup

- You will need access to Docker, CLI, and a browser
- Clone the GitHub repository:
  - https://github.com/cj2001/odsc_east_kg_2021
- Google KG API key
  - https://developers.google.com/knowledge-graph/prereqs
  - Get this key and then save it in /notebooks/.api_key

Prerequisites

Before you can start coding your first client application, there are a few things you need to do, if you haven't done them already.

Get a Google Account

You need a Google Account in order to create a project in the Google API Console. If you already have an account, then you're all set.

You may also want a separate Google Account for testing purposes.

Create a project for your client

Before you can send requests to Google Knowledge Graph Search API, you need to tell Google about your [illegible] and activate access to the API. You do this by using the Google API Console to create a *project*, which is a [illegible] collection of settings and API access information, and register your application.

To get started using Google Knowledge Graph Search API, you need to first use the setup tool, which guides you through creating a project in the Google API Console, enabling the API, and creating credentials.

If you haven't done so already, create your application's API key by clicking **Create credentials > API key**. Next, look for your API key in the **API keys** section.

Software setup

- At this point you should have:
  - Google Knowledge Graph API key
  - Repo cloned
  - Docker container built

Let’s go!

docker-compose up

1. There is no proverbial “silver bullet” with NLP

2. The quality of what you get out of a knowledge graph depends on the quality of what you put into it

Review

- Learned why knowledge graphs are cool!
- Discussed approaches to create a knowledge graph, focusing on NLP
- Created a knowledge graph using a variety of bits of information on the web
- Explored ways to make the graph more informative
  - Entity resolution / disambiguation
- Created various graph embeddings for downstream ML work

Key observations

- The quality of the results depends strongly on the upstream NLP
  - Should be customized to the graph
  - SME involvement helps a lot
- Think carefully about the graph model prior to creating the embeddings
  - Big implications on feature engineering

Things to try next

- Hyperparameters!!!
  - NLP
  - Graph embeddings
  - ML
- Use different properties to create graph embeddings
- Try different graph embedding methods
- Class imbalance
- Make graph bigger, include more diverse data sources

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Wrap up!

docker-compose down

Thank you!

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